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In re Application of: )  
MAKOTO OGURA ) : Examiner: J.Hartary  
Application No.: Div. of ) : Group Art Unit: 2853  
08/617,634 )  
Filed: Herewith )  
For: LIGHT CONDUCTIVE MEMBER, )  
ILLUMINATING DEVICE )  
HAVING THE SAME, AND )  
INFORMATION PROCESSING )  
APPARATUS HAVING THE )  
ILLUMINATING DEVICE ) : June 28, 1999

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

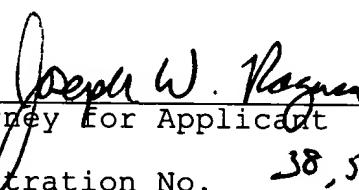
In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Note that cited U.S. Patent No. 5,900,622 matured from U.S. Application No. 08/548,947, which was made of record in the parent. A copy of that patent is enclosed. Pursuant to § 609 of the MPEP, copies of the listed documents other than U.S. Patent No. 5,900,622 have not been provided. However, Applicant will provide copies upon request.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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